Liber H. H. respectively or the valeue thereof in such Comodities as His  $L\bar{o}^p$  or his heires or his or theyr Officer or Officers appointed from time to time to Collect & receaue the same shall accept in discharge thereof. And provided also that there be not aboue fifty pole of land layd out vpon any water side of enery fifty acres to be assigned as aforesaid & so proportionably for any greater quantity of land & the residue to be layd out within the land next adioyneing: wen proporcon also his Lop wills & requires his said Lieut & Councell to cause to be observed in in surveying & setting forth all other lands claimed by any person or persons by vertue of any of his Lops Condicons of plantacon or any other Warrant or Order heeretofore or weh heereafter may be obtained from his Lop notwithstanding particular mention be not made thereof in any such Warrant or Order, for all w<sup>ch</sup> this shall be his said Lieutennants Warrant.

3. His Lordship doth heereby Authorise & require his Lops brother Philip Calvert Esq<sup>r</sup> his principall Secretary of the said Province of Maryland to administer in open Court there the Oath of his Lops Lieutennant of the said Province to Cap: Iosias Fendall his Lordships present Lieutenant there.

Given vnder his Lopps hand & lesser seale at Armes the 12th of November 1656.

C: Baltemore

P. R. O. Domestic Interregnum. Vol. 105, p. 581 Order of the Councell of State

Wensday 17th December 1656.

Upon reading a certificate from the Committee of Trade in pursuiance of the Councell's order of 31. July last, whereby it was referred unto them, to consider of the petitions of Richard Bennet and Samuell Mathews, Agents for Virginia, and the rest plantations in the Bay of Chesapiake, with the Representation of the Governor, Councell and burgesses of the Grand assembly in Virginia, and a report from the Lord Com<sup>r</sup> Whitlock and the Lord Com' Widderington, upon the petition of Cecilius Lord Baltimore made to the Councell in pursuiance of a reference from his Highness, Ordered that the sayd certificate, and that whole matter, be referred to the Committee of the Councell for foreigne plantations, who are to speake therein with the parties, and to report to the Councell, what they shall conceive fitt to be done upon the whole business; as also, to consider of what was now proposed, by the Lord Deputy and the Lord Deputy is added to the Committee.